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Sacramento Fire Department.

From the able report of the Chief Engineer of Sacramento, we glean the following particulars respecting the Fire Department of that city:

The Department consists of eight companies, to wit: six Engine and two Hook and Ladder Companies, numbered and clased as follows:

ENGINES.

Confidence No. 1, James Sullivan, Foreman; 61 men; engine built by Agnew, Philadelphia, second class; 8 inch cylinder, 9-inch stroke: two wheeled hose-tender, all in good order. House, two-story brick, located on 3d street, between I and J, in good repair.

Protection, No. 2, John H. Housman, Foreman; 58 men; engine built by Smith, New York, originally second class, altered by Bowstead & Co., of the Eureka Foundry, to first class; 10 inch cylinders, 8 inch stroke; two-wheeled hose tender, all in good order. House, two-story brick, located on 8th street, between J and K, in good repair.

Sacramento, No. 3, Joseph Friend. Foreman; 47 men; engine built by Hunneman, Boston; first class, 7 inch cylinders, 15 inch stroke; two-wheeled hose tender, all in good order. House, two story brick, located on 2d street, between K and L, in good repair.

Eureka, No. 4, A. Koneman, Foreman; 28 men; engine built by Kells, of Hudson, New York; second class, 8 inch cylinders, 6½ inch stroke; two-wheeled hose tender, all in good order. House, two story brick, located on 5th st, between J and K, in good repair.

Knickerbocker, No. 5, John C. Keenan, Foreman; 38 men; engine built by Smith, of New York; third class, 6½ inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke; two-wheeled hose tender, all in good repair. House located on 3d street, between K and L, two story frame, in ordinary repair; house owned by the city, and ground leased.

Young America, No. 6, S. Marshall, Foreman 36 men; engine third class, built by Ludlam, New York; 6½ inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke—the same formerly used by Companies 1 and 2, and is worn out; two-wheeled hose tender, the same used by Tehama Hose No. 1, before being disbanded. House, one story frame, and leased by city, located on J, between 10th and 11th.

HOOKS AND LADDERS.

Mutual, No. 1, C. G. Hooker, Foreman; 37 men; apparatus built by Haworth, Eells & Co., of this city, complete and in good order. House two story brick, located on 3d street, between I and J, in good repair.

Alert, No. 2, James McGuire, Foreman; 23 men; apparatus built by John Hays, of this city—is complete and in good order. House located on 8th st, between J. and K, two story brick, in good repair.

HOSE.

Engine Co. No. 1 has in use			600 feet.
"	2	"	600 "
"	3	"	600 "
"	4	"	550 "
"	5	"	550 "
"	6	"	550 "
Making			3450 "
In Corporation Yard			1350 "
Total amount of hose			4800 feet.

Of this amount at least 2,000 feet may be classed as bad.

There are 14 cisterns located in various portions of the city, capable of containing 165,000 gallons of water; brick cisterns, 6; wood, 7; cement, 1; besides which the firemen are supplied with water from hydrants.

From the 20th August 1855 until the date o the report, April 26th 1856, there have been

Total fires, 29; alarms, 53; total alarms and fires..... 82

Total buildings destroyed, 24; slightly damaged 20.

Total loss of property.....$23,390.

Second street bell rang for 29 alarms, 15 fires, total..... 44

Eighth street bell rang for 24 alarms, 14 fires, tatal..... 38

Total alarms and fires..... 82

Number of times each company was called in service:

Engine No. 1, 13; No. 2, 14; No. 3, 9; No. 4, 11; No. 5, 16; No. 6, 5.

Hook and Ladder No. 1, 5; No. 2, 9.

Number of times each Engine threw first water on fire:

No. 1, 5; No. 2, 6; No. 3, 2; No 4, 2; No. 5, 7; No 6 2

In his report Chief Engineer Arents says;

The Fire Department has reached a high degree of efficiency. With the means at command it has proven itself a protection to the property of our citizens. It is ambitious of reaching a higher stage of efficiency—indeed it aims at perfection as far as perfection is attainable with a due regard to a wholesome economy. It remains with the people then (if your honorable body see fit to submit the matter to them,) whether the appliances necessary to a more perfect organizatin be furnished them. The motives which impel the firemen to duty are little understood by those who have never been connected with their organization. All they ask of the community is a proper appreciation of their services and a liberal aid in the shape of the necessary appliances to perform their duty well and promptly. It is well known to every fireman who feels a just pride in his vocation, that the members of the Fire Department expend out of their own pockets a much larger sum than the city authorities devote to the support of their organization. They are willing to do this, and they are also willing to devote their time and risk their lives if necessary in the discharge of their duty.

I believe, when the improvements I have suggested have been carried out, our city may be considered safe from further large conflagrations, such as have heretofore laid our city in ashes. It must be borne in mind that our principal insurance is in the Fire Department. Should we not then cherish it, and use our exertions to make it as effective as possible?

In conclusion I would state, as regards myself, that I have made it a study to conduct the finances of the department (to the extent of my control) as economically as possible. That I have done so, I believe the records will prove, and I can now only assure you that it will be my aim to pursue the same course in future.

ANOTHER NEW MACHINE.—The Brooklyn *Daily Independent Press*, April 15th, says:—United States Engine Company No. 4 paraded yesterday with a large number of their friends, and proceeded to New York for the purpose of bringing home their new engine, which had been built for them by Mr. James Smith.—Upon receiving their engine they proceeded to Riley's pole, in West Broadway, the usual place of resort for engine companies with their new machines, and tried her power. She threw two streams at the same time, one going over the pole and the other falling some ten feet short of it. On arriving in Williamsburgh the machine was taken to the chimney of Betts' distillery, in 1st street, corner of South 5th, and there repeatedly tried, but from some cause did not work so satisfactorily as the engine of No. 6's company last Thursday.

The machine was built by Mr. James Smith, of New York, is of the piano pattern, 10-inch cylinder, side-stroke, and is so arranged as to be worked with pulleys, thereby giving her great power. The machine is very handsomely and tastefully decorated, and cost $1,500; 1,200 of which was appropriated by the Common Council, and the remainder by the company.

TRUE MANLINESS.—Be actors, or rather soldiers, in the war of heroism! in the silent endurances and inarticulate workings of a virtuous valor! that looks to its accomplishments more than its promises. Let the truth, in its pure substance, lie in your soul; let it never be shaken; let the elements of your character grow up and blossom around it—cling to it for aliment and support; let it stand the central pillar in the moral and intellectual edifice you are rearing. Frown indignantly upon all rottenness and hollow pomp; let your estimate of others depend upon character, and not show—upon substance, and not seeming. The canker-worm of society lies in its hypocrisies; its meanness grows out of its deficiencies; its contempt out of the poverty of its attainments, contrasted with its bluster and pretence. While deception is successful, it will always be practised; but what honest soul would parade in the laurels of *fraud*, or pass along quietly a self conceited cheat?

Truth acts out in manliness of character—in independence and self respect—in making a show only of what it honestly possesses—is candid and just—tolerant and charitable. "Buy the truth and sell it not"—it is more precious than rubies.

TORRENT ENGINE COMPANY No. 5, OF MANCHESTER, N. H.—At the annual meeting of this Company, April 8th, the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year:—

B. C. Kendall, Foreman; O. E. Kimball, Assist. Foreman; John Saunders, Foreman Leading Hose; U. A. Carswell, Foreman Suction Hose; Henry M. Merrill, Clerk; D. B. Prescott, Treasurer; George Holbrook, Charles H. Hall, John Saunders, D. R. Prescott, A. P. Trussell, Standing Committee.

IN A NICE SCRAPE.—A policeman in Buffalo left a pair of hand-cuffs in a store, and went away out of town. The same day, a porter in the store thought he would try them on. The handcuffs are so constructed that they lock by means of a spring, and cannot be opened except by a peculiarly shaped key, which is made to fit each pair. The man's wrists were soon inserted, but they were not so easily removed. He rushed frantically to the police office, and then in turn to all the policemen, but no one could unlock the cuffs. He wore the ornaments from Saturday till Monday, when he was released.

"CHOLERA IN THE HAIR."—A foreign letter in the Bath *Tribune*, has the following:

"An anecdote is told of an Englishman, (perhaps you may have heard of it,) who observed to his customer that there was 'Cholera in the hair.' 'Then I hope you are somewhat particular about the brushes you use.' 'Oh,' said the barber, 'I don't mean the 'air of the 'ead, but the hair of the hatmosphere.'"

DIED.—James C. Crane, President of the Richmond (Va.) Fire Association, died on the 31st of March.

Report of Chief Engineer of the Mobile Fire Department.

To his honor the Mayor, and Boards of Aldermen and Common Council of the City of Mobile.

Gentlemen—In compliance with the ordinances of the city, I respectfully submit herewith an annual statement of the condition of the Mobile Fire Department. The department is composed of eight Engine and one Hook and Ladder company; attached to which are 310 active and 233 honorary members, making in all 543—for particulars of which I refer you to the accompaying rolls of the companies. The department has in charge two thousand five hundred feet of hose, in good order, and nine hundred and fifty feet in bad order.

MOBILE HOOK AND LADDER COMPANY No 1 Has 43 active and 24 honorary members; 2 trucks in good order, 14 ladders, 4 hooks, 4 tormenter, 18 axes, 2 pick-axes, 1 crowbar—all in good order.

CREOLE ENGINE CO. No. 1—Has 26 active and 34 honorary members; 2 second-class Philadelphia engines, 1 in good order, the other in bad order; 1 hose carriage in good order; 200 feet of hose in good order, and 250 feet in bad order.

NEPTUNE ENGINE CO. No. 2—Has 34 active and 21 honorary members; one first class Philadelphia engine in good order; one hose truck in good order; 100 feet hose in good order, 250 feet in bad order.

FRANKLIN ENGINE CO. No. 3—Has 26 active and 40 honorary members; one first class New York engine in good order; two hose trucks in good order; 400 feet of hose in good order, and 150 feet in bad order.

MERCHANTS' ENGINE CO. No. 4—Has 67 active and 37 honorary members; one first class New York engine in good order; one hose truck in good order; 200 feet of hose in good order, and 300 feet in bad order.

TORRENT ENGINE CO. No. 5—Has 48 active and 24 honorary members; two engines; one new first class Pawtucket engine in good order; one second class New York engine in bad order; two hose trucks in good order: 600 feet of hose in good order.

PHOENIX ENGINE CO. No. 6—Has 40 active and 23 honorary members; 2 engines, 1 first class New York engine, in good order, 1 second class Philadelphia engine in bad order and unfit for service; one hose truck in good order, 300 feet of hose in good order.

MECHANICS, ENGINE CO. No. 7—Has 38 active and 30 honorary members; one first class New York engine in good order, one second class in bad order: 2 hose trucks, one in good order, the other in bad order; 450 feet of hose in good order.

WASHINGTON ENGINE CO. No. 7—Has 38 active and 24 honorary members; one first class New York engine in good order; one hose truck in good order; 250 feet of hose in good order.

There have been within the past year, twenty-eight fires and eight alarms, by which the loss on buildings has been $27,000, on steamboats $8,000, and on wares $12,250, making a total loss by fires, as near as could be ascertained, $47,250, up to the 19th of April 1856.

The corporation is largely in arrears to the department. I would, therefore, call your attention to a resolution passed April, 1850, appropriating three hundred dollars to each company to defray expenses.

In closing the last report that I shall ever make to you, as Chief of the Fire Department, I shall make no recommendations nor even discuss the important subject with you referring you to my last annual document (which is still in the hands of the committee) as the basis of any favorable legislation you may vouchsafe to the Fire Department.

I take this opportunity of thanking the Insurance Companies, in behalf of the department, for the promptness and liberality shown to them during the past year.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

A. M. QUIGLEY, Chief Engineer,
Mobile Fire Deparment.

THE NEW ENGINE.—The Dayton, Ohio, *Journal*, of April 1st, says: "The Neptunes have received a new engine, manufactured by Jeffers, of Pawtucket, R. I. It was tried on Saturday, and again on yesterday afternoon, with "distinguished success." The Neptunes came up to the corner of Third and Main streets, at two o'clock yesterday, with their new machine and a band of music. The Deluge and Oregon companies were also present with their apparatus.

After repeated trials, the Jeffers' machine es tablished its supremacy over the others in competition. The Oregon threw water 165 feet from the pipe—two sections of hose being attached; the Jeffers' machine cast it 175 feet—the stream being perceptibly heavier than that of the Oregon. She afterwards forced four streams through as many attachments of a section, each twenty feet above the roof of the Phillips House. The Neptunes gave several hearty cheers for their new machine and its success.

HUDSON, N. Y.—A fire at Hudson, New York, on the 14th April, destroyed property to the value of $19,000.

The Boston *Dispatch* gives the annexed account of the Charlestown, Mass., Fire Department:—

The Department consists of 8 companies, 6 engines, 1 hose and 1 hook and ladder company

Hancock No. 1, is a Hunneman machine. Its capacity is 6 inch cylinders and 15¼ inch stroke of piston. The officers of the company are—Foreman, George Hager; 1st assist, James B. Bosnet; 2d do., William Daniels; Clerk, Augustus Wilson. The house of the company is situated on Main street.

Bunker Hill No. 2 was built in 1835 by Hunneman; is 6 inch cylinders and 16 inch stroke of piston. The following are the present officers—Foreman, Joseph Swan, jr; 1st assistant, Wm. Fernald; 2d do., Joseph W. Davis; Clerk, John Gardner. The machine is located on the Neck, Main street.

Howard No. 3, now a Thayer machine, was formerly a Hunneman. It has 7 inch cylinders and 12 inch stroke of piston. The following gentlemen command the company:—Foreman, Sam'l C. Hunt, jr.; 1st assistant, William T. Bryant; 2d do., Henry A Davis; Clerk, George W. Hammond. The location of the machine is on Elm street.

Warren No. 4 was built by Hunneman in 1835, but since that time has been entirely rebuilt. It has 6 inch cylinders and 16 inch stroke. The officers are—Foreman, Geo. W. Prescott; 1st assistant, Benj. Williams; 2d do., Richard R. Raymond; Clerk, Edward Everett Winslow. The machine is located in the basement of the schoolhouse on Common street.

Washington No. 5 was built in 1826 by Hunneman, but it has been so greatly improved that but little of the original is to be seen at the present time. Its dimensions are—cylinders 6 inch; length of stroke of piston about 15 inches. Geo Pierce is Foreman; Geo. E Rogers, 1st assistant; Benj. Brintnall, 2d do.; Alonzo Ritterbush, clerk The machine is located in the basement of the Harvard School, Harvard Hill.

Franklin No. 7 was built by Stephen Thayer, Boston, in 1838, and is what is generally known as a Thayer machine. It has 7 inch cylinders and 12 inch stroke of piston. The following gentlemen compose the board of officers:—Foreman, Edward A. Costagan; 1st assistant, Thomas Brintnall; 2d do., John F. Powers; clerk, Henry P. Goodwin. Their house is on Bunker Hill st., at the Point.

Harvard Hook and Ladder No. 1 has a truck which was built by Wm. Hodgkins of Charlestown, in 1842, and is similar to those used in Boston. The truck carries a large quantity of ladders, hooks, rakes, axes, &c. The following are the officers:—Foreman, Wm Caswell; 1st assist., Richard Stoddard; clerk, E. K. Davis. The truck is located on Winthrop st.

Red Jacket Hose No. 1 was organized in 1851. They run a double carriage, built by Hittinger & Cook, Charlestown, in 1852. These carriages are attached together while on their way to a fire and disconnected when they arrive. They carry about 1000 feet of hose. The following are the present officers. Foreman, Edward F. Barstow; 1st assistant, Edward R. C. Murray; Clerk, John J. Edmonds. The carriages are located on Winthrop street, in the same building with the Ladder company.

The city also owns a Relief engine, which is used by companies when their apparatus is out of order, and is located, when not in use, in the house formerly occupied by the Hose Co., on Common street.

The engineers, whose term of office expires April 30, are—Chief Engineer, Henry P. Gardner; Assistant Engineers, James C. Poore, John Howard, James M. Gardner, David S. Tucker. There are about 400 men belonging to the Department, which is considered to be in good condition; and with an ample supply of water in almost every quarter of the city, our firemen are fully able to fight the devouring element.

PHILADELPHIA.—A Philadelphia correspondent to an Eastern journal, says "that the Steam Fire Engine which was presented to the city some time since by a few public-spirited gentlemen, has not yet been placed in commission. I regret to say, in this connection, that there is a prospect that all the old feuds in the Fire Department will be revived again; the Councils in their wisdom having admitted the rowdy companies again into service."

BOSTON.—The city of Boston has appropriated, for the expenses of the Fire Department, for the year, $89,000, including the Fire Alarm Telegraph. In the Engineer's Department, $5,800, and for Engine, Hook and Ladder, and Hose Carriage houses. $2,000.

OFFICERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT, PORTSMOUTH, N. H.—Chief Engineer, Thomas Norton; Assistant Engineers, Andrew D. Gerrish, Samuel Rowe, Moses Yeaton, Josiah G. Harley, James Janvrin, Leonard Ackerman, A. K. P. Deering, C. E. Maine, A. J. Beck, A. T. Goodrich.

CHARLES.—"Clara, did poor little Carlo have a pink ribbon round his neck when you lost him?" Clara—"Yes, yes, the poor little dear; have you seen him?" Charles—"No, not exactly, but here's a piece of pink ribbon in the sausage."

The Brooklyn *Independent Press*, of April 9th, has the following:

SIX'S NEW MACHINE.—Eagle Engine Company No 6, paraded yesterday morning, and proceeded to New York for the purpose of receiving and testing the powers of their new machine, built by Hunneman, of Boston. After receiving the engine, they proceeded to Riley's pole in West Broadway, where they fully tested her merits—she throwing two streams, out of a seven-eighth inch nozzle, entirely over the pole, which is one hundred and thirty-two feet high. In this, they were ably assisted by Engine Company No. 12. of this city, who, having a machine of the same build, were more familiar with working her. Her company afterwards took her in hand and threw one hundred and fifty-seven feet on a level; and out of the butt fifty-four feet. Out of a one-and-a quarter inch nozzle they threw a stream over the cross-trees on the pole.

Being well satisfied with her performance, in New York city, the company formed in procession and crossed to this city, when they took up their station at Betts' distillery, corner of South Fifth and First streets, where they were supplied with water from the steam engine connected with the establishment. At this point, the Company having the brakes, they threw a stream, through one length of hose, out of a seven-eighth inch nozzle, some ten feet over the chimney, which is one hundred and twenty-seven feet, six inches in height; and out of the same quantity of hose and same nozzle, she threw a stream one hundred and sixty feet on a level.

The machine is in the style of a Boston *tub*, and is substantially built and beautifully decorated. On one side of her standard-post is a painting representing the Spirit of '76; and on the other a painting representing two Indian Chiefs, Hard Heart and Mithora. She cost $1,500.

A GREAT ARTESIAN WELL.—A new Artesian well is being bored in the Avenue Charles X., at the angle of the Avenue St. Cloud and Petit Pare, near Paris, for the purpose of supplying the ornamental lakes of the Bois de Boulogne. An interesting paper has been submitted to the Academy by M. Dumas, on the subject, from which it appears that Mr. Kind, the engineer, has undertaken to bore a well 29 inches in diameter, and continue the sinking, if necessary, to the depth of 2500 feet, and thus obtain a daily supply of 10,000 cubic meters of water, being nearly equal to the volume of water delivered by the Seine through the Pont de la Tournelle, at Paris. The boring was commenced on August 2d last, with a diameter of about 41 in. For some time, when the operations were through marl and chalk, the average daily progress was 16½ feet; then, through sand, it was reduced to 8¼ to 10 feet: and now, having reached another stratum of chalk, containing boulders, the speed is 5 feet, the depth being already upwards of 980 feet, and by May 1st it is expected that the enormous depth of 2260 feet from the surface will be attained, being more than 490 feet deeper than the Artesian well at Grenelle. The motive power is a steam engine of 24-horse power.

About Hanging.

Hanging, although an awkward position, is, it is said, the easiest method of taking life. A writer in one of the English quarterlies proves it to be quite a pleasant operation. He says—"An acquaintance of Lord Bacon, who meant to hang himself only partially, lost his footing, and was cut down at the last extremity, having nearly paid for his curiosity with his life. He declared that he felt no pain, and his only sensation was of fire before his eyes, which changed first to black and then to sky-blue. These colors are even a source of pleasure. A Captain Montagnac, who was hanged in France during the religious wars, and rescued from the gibbet at the intercession of Viscount Turenne, complained that, having lost all pain in an instant, he had been taken from a light the charm of which defied description. Another criminal, who escaped by the breaking of the cord, said that, after a second of suffering, a fire appeared, and across it the most beautiful avenue of trees. Henry IV., of France, sent his physician to question him, and when mention was made of a pardon, the man answered coldly that it was not worth the asking. The uniformity of the descriptions render it almost useless to multiply instances. They fill pages in every book of medical jurisprudence. All agree that the uneasiness is quite momentary, that a pleasurable feeling immediately succeeds, that colors of various hue start up before the sight, and that these having been gazed on for a trivial space, the rest is oblivion. The mind, averted from the reality of the situation, is engaged in scenes the most remote from that which fills the eye of the spectator—the vile rabble, the hideous gallows, and the struggling form that swings in the wind."

The amount of insurance on the Pacific is $600,000; half in the United States, and half in England. The freight money was insured for $40,000. Her cargo was valued at $1,500,000; and consisted of some six or seven hundred tons, it was mostly insured. The total amount of insurance exceeds $2,000,000.

The Fire Department of Newburyport consists of 329 men, eight suction engines, and one hook and ladder truck.

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MARCUS D. BORUCK, ... Editor.

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Our Military friends are referred to the Third Page, which will hereafter be devoted to their interests.

By reference to another column it will be seen that Attorney General Wallace and District Attorney Byrne both give it as their opinion, that the fact of a member of the Department being an alien, does not by reason of that alienage prevent him exercising the elective franchise for the officers of the Department, at the general elections for the same. This, therefore, places upon a firm basis the organization of the Lafayette Hook and Ladder Company, although that company was not the only one interested in the matter, as almost every company has upon its roll the names of members of foreign birth. The subject is now at rest, we trust forever; the discussion of it has not at all disturbed the amicable relations which existed throughout the Department, and we believe that all are satisfied with the decision made in the matter, the proper and true course having been taken by the Board of Representatives to definitely dispose of the issue.

Fires and Alarms for the Week.

May 27th. 5 P. M.—Alarm from Monumental bell. Fire discovered in Schleiden's book store, first floor—brick building on Sacramento near Montgomery street. Caused by rats taking matches into one of the recesses of the counter and nibbling them, and setting the rubbish on fire. Portion of the Department out. No. 5 being nearest the fire was ready with the first water. Damage $500, caused by inmates throwing buckets of water on their stock. No water thrown by the department.

MAY 30.—5 P. M. Alarm from Monumental bell—chimney St. Nicholas Hotel corner Sansome and Commercial street—No damage—Portion of the Department out.

HOWARD 3.—At last the members of Howard Engine Company 3, have obtained a "local habitation," a name for promptness and efficiency they have been in possession of for some time, and the many obstacles which have been thrown in their way, only served to increase their patriotism and usefulness. The lot purchased for them is on California street near Sansome, is 24 feet front by 66 feet 6 inches deep, and cost the city seven thousand dollars. On it there is a fine three story frame building in excellent condition, and worth at least, under present circumstances fifteen hundred dollars. This building the company intend to put in order for their own convenience, and will be ready for their occupancy in a week or ten days.

VISITORS FROM STOCKTON.—The members of Eureka Engine Company No. 2 of Stockton are making preparations for a visit to this city, on or about the 18th of June. On their arrival here they will be received by Howard Engine Company No. 3, Foreman F. E. R. Whitney, and will also be entertained by other companies in the department. The courtesy and hospitality of No. 2 is proverbial, the company composed of the very best men in Stockton, and commanded by a gentleman, in the person of ex-Assistant Engineer William Clark. The Engine of the Eureka, is of New York build, a trifle larger than No. 5 of this city, and from what we can understand there has been considerable practice in the last eight months, and that tall playing may be witnessed when they arrive. We bespeak for the Eureka's a hearty and cordial welcome from their brother firemen of this city.

CISTERN TRAPS.—The Cistern traps in several portions of the city are in very bad order, so far as getting them up when a fire occurs. At the alarm of fire on Tuesday Nos. 6 and 12, two of the most powerful and serviceable engines in the department, were detained a *provoking* length of time in getting their suctions into the cistern at the corner of Clay and Sansome streets, in consequence of the defect we speak of. Will Capt. Cowing please take a survey of the cisterns and have the difficulty remedied?

RIGHT.—At the meeting of the Board of Aldermen on Thursday evening, Alderman Janes offered a resolution, instructing the Fire and Water Committee to report, on the propriety of making an appropriation for the support of the Fire Department for the six months subsequent to the 1st July 1856. We cannot see any reason why the Committee should not act favorably on the resolution.

EXPENSES OF THE DEPARTMENT.—The actual expenses of the Fire Department for the month ending May 16th, amounted to $236,50.

ST. FRANCIS HOOK AND LADDER CO. NO. 1.—A benefit in aid of the St. Francis Hook and Ladder Company is to be given at the Metropolitan Theatre on Monday evening, June 9th, upon which occasion the entertainments will be of a superior character.

THE OUTSIDE.—On the outside of this week's paper may be found much interesting matter, not only to the firemen but to the general reader.

NEW HOTEL.—The "Fillmore House," is the name of a new and splendid hotel, being erected at Newport, R. I.

The Fire Department and Insurance Agents.

The deplorable state in which the Department has been placed by the neglect of the city authorities to purchase the requisite amount of hose, induced the Chief Engineer to address a note, of which the following is a copy, to Mr. Joshua P. Haven, Chairman of the Association of Insurance Agents of this city, and one of the best and firmest friends of the Firemen:

CHIEF ENGINEER'S OFFICE,
San Francisco, May 26th, 1856.

J. P. HAVEN, ESQ.,
Chairman Association Insurance Agents,

SIR:—Knowing how deeply the Insurance Agents of this city are interested in the efficiency of the Fire Department, and that without the proper requisites in the event of a serious conflagration, it would be powerless, I beg to inform you that in its greatest desideratum—"good hose"—it is entirely deficient, and requires for its present wants a supply of at least ten thousand feet, that which is now in use being almost worthless.

Will you have the kindness, therefore, to lay the matter before the Insurance Agents of this city for their immediate action?

Very Respectfully,
JAMES E. NUTTMAN,
Chief Engineer S. F. F. D.

Upon receipt of the above communication from the Chief Engineer, Mr. Haven, with his usual promptness, and with a view to benefit the Department, immediately called a meeting of the Insurance Agents of this city, which was held on Tuesday, and after considerable deliberation the conclusions expressed in the annexed letter were arrived at:

SAN FRANCISCO, May 28th, 1856.

J. E. NUTTMAN, Esq.,
Chief Engineer S. F. Fire Dept.

Dear Sir:

In answer to your communication of yesterday relative to the necessity of the Department being supplied with hose, the undersigned, in recognition of the great benefit conferred by the Fire Companies of San Francisco, and of the importance of sustaining the efficiency of so useful a body, have agreed to contribute the sum of Two Thousand Dollars, payable to your order, whensoever one-half the amount required shall have been subscribed by other parties.

The undersigned desire to add, that the demands made upon many of them have been, of late, frequent and urgent: and that while they will ever be ready to respond to appeals like the present, they must beg to be excused from the constant applications to which they have been subjected for objects they cannot so fully approve and endorse.

They desire to requite the benefits derived from the efficient organization of the Fire Department of San Francisco, and will not be niggardly in their subscriptions to supply the meritorious wants of the companies composing that Department. We are, resp'y,

J. P. & R. S. HAVEN,
FALKNER, BELL & CO.,
SMITH BROTHERS & CO.,
C. ADOLPH LOW,
Agent of Continental,
JONATHAN HUNT,
WM. LANE BOOKER,
MCKINLEY, GARRIOCH & CO.

From the tenor of the above letter it will be perceived that the Insurance Agents will (and very justly, too,) demand back the amount paid by them unless half of the requisite amount for the purchase of hose is subscribed and *paid* by other parties. In this we think no complaint should be made; the Insurance Agents of this city are liberal in the extreme to the Department, and it would be unfair to compel them to bear the entire burden of the present demand.

Several of the leading merchants of this city have signified their intention to assist the Department to procure the desired object. In behalf of the members of the Department, we beg to express their acknowledgments to the Insurance Agents of the city for the good feeling and liberality evinced toward their organization, particularly to Mr. J. P. Haven, who has interested himself so deeply in the matter.

ORPHAN'S BENFIT—A few philanthropic gentlemen are getting up a benefit to come off at the Metropolitan Theatre on the 12th of June, in aid of the San Francisco Orphan Asylum. This institution, we understand, is in the greatest need of funds to meet the current expenses entailed by the care of the orphans, so much so that latterly it has been kept up entirely by contributions from day to day. We sincerely hope that some profit will accrue from the benefit in question, which by proper management can easily be obtained. Had the Chief Executive of the State performed his *duty* to the orphans, they would not now be begging their bread, comparatively speaking, from door to door.

PRIVATE ENTERPRISE AND ITS REWARD.—To make a faithful, full and readable report of all the events which have lately transpired, compile them in pamphlet form, take them to a publishing house and order ten thousand struck off instanter, so as to go out and sell them and reap some benefit; that is enterprise. This is the reward, to have that publishing house feloniously appropriate sixteen pages of your work and incorporate it into a pamphlet of similar nature gotten up by themselves, to keep back your edition twenty four hours later than the time promised and then publish an edition of ten thousand of their pamphlet, simultaneously with yours. A circumstance of the nature of which the above is an account lately transpired in this city.

Execution of Graham.

Nicholas Graham, convicted of the murder of James Brooks, in January last, on board the steamer "Columbia," was executed yesterday in the yard of the County Jail, at precisely 1 o'clock. The execution was conducted privately. Graham was perfectly resigned to his fate, and died truly repenting of his crime; he expressed a willingness to die: said that he was going to a better country, and wished every one well. He was attended in his last moments by Father Ingoldsby of the Catholic church.

SAN FRANCISCO HALL.—A good business has been done at this place since our last. On several nights during the week the Minstrels attracted houses, crowded to excess. Eph Horn commenced an engagement on Thursday evening. He leaves for the Atlantic States and Europe in company with Mr. Hooly on the steamer of the 5th June.

SANSOME HOOK AND LADDER CO. NO. 3.—A vote of thanks has been passed by the Sansome Hook and Ladder Company to Hon. J. W. Denver and Hon. P. T. Herbert, for a valuable addition of books made to their library.

Board of Delegates.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Delegates was held at their Chambers, in the City Hall, on Wednesday evening last, May 28th, at 7½ o'clock.

President Franklin L, Jones in the Chair.

The roll being called, the following members answered to their names.—Messrs. McCarthy, Babcock, Wasson, Rand, Boruck, Hixon, Sitcomb, Sinton, Moore, McKendry, Walsh, Thomas, Bluxome, Fitzpatrick, Herbert, Simons, Tucker, Buckley, Hoff, Whalen, Finnegan, Reed, Plum, Hanks, States, Cobb, Maillott, Hoffman.

Absent, Messrs. Hunt, Heydenfeldt, Vreeland, Hossefross, Mahony.

The minutes of the regular meeting, April 9, and the adjourned meetings, May 14, and 21, were read and approved.

The Chairmen of the Committees on Rules, Finance and Judiciary, made no report.

Mr. Boruck, from the Committee on the amendlaw, presented the following Report:

To the Board of Delegates San Francisco Fire Department:

GENTLEMEN.—Your Committee, to whom was entrusted the amended Law of the Department, beg leave respectfully to report, that the wishes of the Board were made known to the delegation in Sacramento, from this city in relation to the Fire Department Law; that the Committee, deeming it of sufficient importance to warrant such a course, requested Mr. Jas. E. Nuttman, the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, to Sacramento, and as the representative of the Fire Department, secure the passage of the required. Mr. Nuttman, in compliance with the request of the Committee, went to Sacramento, remaining there very nearly ten days, pointing out to those interested the precise wants of the Department, feeling satisfied that the Law would pass, as it originally left the Board of Delegates. When the Bill came into the Senate, amendments of an obnoxious nature to the Department, were inserted, as your Committee have been informed, by Hon. W. J. Shaw, Senator from this County, although at the time known to be contrary to the wish of the Department. The Bill passed the Senate, and was not presented to the Governor for his signature, until 12 o'clock, M., on Monday, the 21st April, and was pocketed by the Governor, for the reason, as is alledged, that a sufficiency of time was not given him to inquire into its merit.

Your Committee, therefore, without further comment, make this their report.

M. D. BORUCK, } Committee.
A. H TITCOMB, }

SAN FRANCISCO, May 14th, 1856.

On motion, the report was adopted and the Committee discharged.

The Committee on the case of J. C. B. Stanley, and Department bills, made no report.

The Committee on the Rights of Aliens to vote for Department officers, presented the annexed report:

SAN FRANCISCO, May 14th, 1856.

To the Board of Delegates S. F. Fire Dept.:

The Committee to whom was referred the Resolution in relation to aliens voting for officers of the Fire Department of this city, beg leave to report, that in accordance with said resolution they addressed a communication to the Attorney General of the State, and District Attorney of this county, asking their opinion in writing on the subject; to which the enclosed communications haae been received in reply thereto.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

FLORENCE MAHONY, }
H. A. COBB, } Committee.

ATT'Y GEN'L OFFICE, Apl 29th, 1856.

GENTLEMEN:—I have received your letter requesting my opinion as to the legality of Aliens attached to the Fire Department voting for Chief and Assistant Engineers at the annual elections." I do not regard this question as one involving the capacity of an alien to exercise the *political franchise*.

I am of opinion that an Alien may become a member of the Fire Department, and as such member may vote at the elections held by the Department, without regard to the fact of his alienage—the fact of his *membership* being *conclusive* in favor of his right.

Very Respectfully,
WILLIAM T WALLACE,
Attorney General State of California.

To Messrs. H. A. COBB and others, Com., &c.

DIST. ATT'Y'S OFFICE, May 3d, 1856.

GENTLEMEN:—Your communication of the 17th April, asking my opinion as to the legality of "Aliens" attached to the Fire Department voting for Chief and Assistant Engineers at the annual election for said officers.

I have examined the several statutes relative to the Department, and in none of them have I been able to find any provision, either in express terms, or by legal implication, by which the members of the Department, whether Aliens or not, are prohibited from voting for the officers above referred to. I remain, &c.,

Your ob't serv't,
H. H. BYRNE.

To FLORENCE MAHONY, }
H. A. COBB, }
JOHN C. HOFF, Esqs., } Committee.

On motion of Mr. Sinton the Secretary was instructed to spread the report of the Committee in full upon the minutes of the Board.

Mr. Wasson, from the Committee on the payment of $150 to J. C. B. Stanley, reported progress and asked for further time, which was granted.

A communication from the Secretary of the Fire Department relative to a number of newspaper bills against the Board, was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Communication from Empire 1, relative to changes on the roll, was referred to the Committee on Rolls; also one from No. 4 and one from H. & L. 3.

Communications from Manhattan 2, Knickerbocker 5, Young America 13, and H. & L. 2, were received, read and ordered on file

The following resolution, offered by Mr. Boruck, was ruled out of order by the Chair.

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Fire Department be, and is hereby instructed to issue Diploma Certificates to past and present Engineers of the Department and past Secretaries; the present Dept. Physicians, and Trustees of the Charitable Fund; also, to each Engine and Hook Ladder Co.

An invitation from Lafayette H. & L. Co. No. 2, inviting the officers and members of the Board to participate in the celebration of the organization of the Company was received and accepted.

There being no further business, the Board adjourned.

Lafayette H. L. Co. No. 2.

The members of Lafayette Hook and Ladder Company No. 2, one of the most efficient branches of the Fire Department, intend celebrating their anniversary on Monday next, June 2d, the first of the month falling on Sunday. They are to meet at the Truck house at 9 o'clock A. M., and preceded by a full band, march through the principal streets of the city to Pacific Garden, on Third street near Folsom, where a sumptuous entertainment will be in waiting for them, the whole affair being under the direction of their well-known and highly-respected Foreman, Mr. Henry A. Cobb. The Truck is to be magnificently decorated, and in the centre is to be reared a beautiful canopy of flowers, in which is to be placed a little girl, with golden ringlets, representing Eureka. The Truck will be preceded by five axemen in the full uniform of the Company, brass fire caps with crests, full frock coats, red axes in silk, worked upon the arm of the coat, the hands covered with gauntlets of the finest description. The officers are to be in full costume, also, epaulets, swords, &c. The men are to be in fatigue dress, wearing the brass fire-cap without the crest. The reason of this being that the full uniform of the entire company has not been received from France. The Lafayettes have invited to participate with them, the officers and members of the Board of Delegates; the Chief and Assistant Engineers; the Foremen, Assistants and Secretary of each Company: the officers of the "Alcesté;" also a delegation of two members from each company, in unform. Besides the band spoken of, there will be four French drummers, whose proficency in handling the "sticks" enables them to make music of their own. They are attached to the company. Prior to the general parade through the city, a splendid silk flag is to be presented to the Lafayettes by a lady. It is desired by the company that all the officers and members of the Fire Department parading with them, should do so in uniform. The display will be the finest made by any portion of the Department for a long time, and will only be in keeping with the high reputation enjoyed by the Lafayettes.

At a Meeting of the Marion Rifles held Thursday evening, May 29th, it was unanimously resolved to drop from the roll all members who refused to do duty when called upon by the authorities; also, that non-commissioned officers and privates be required to take the same obligations as the commissioned officers.

my31 L F ZANTZINGER. Sec'y.

Fire Department.

LAFAYETTE H. & L. No. 2.—The Company will meet in full uniform on Monday, the 2d of June, at 10 o'clock, A M., at their Truck House, on Broadway st.

By order, T. A. MITCHELL, Secretary.

EMPIRE No. 1.—The Regular Monthly meeting of your Company will be held on Friday evening next, June 6th, at 7½ o'clock. By order,

my31 T H FLANAGAN, Sec'y

MANHATTAN No. 2.—The Regular Monthly Meeting of your Company will be held on Monday Evening next, June 2, at 7½ o'clock. By order,

E. B. ZABRISKIE, Sec'y.

HOWARD No. 3.—The Members of Howard Engine Co. are requested to meet at the old Engine House, Merchant st., this (Saturday) evening, at 7½ o'clock, for business of importance, By order,

my31 P. M. WHITNEY, Secretary

HOWARD NO. 3.—The Regular Monthly Meeting of your Company will be held on Wednesday Evening next, June 4, at 7½ o'clock. By order,

PLINY M. WHITNEY, Secretary

KNICKERBOCKER No. 5.—The Regular Monthly Meeting of your Company will be held on Monday Evening June 2, at 8 o'clock precisley. By order,

WM. BROADHURST, Secretary.

MONUMENTAL Co. No. 6.—The Regular Monthly meeting of your company will be held on Tuesday evening, June 3, at 7½ o'clock. By order

CHAS. M. CHASE, Secretary.

VOLUNTEER NO. 7—The Semi-Annual meeting for the election of officers will be held on Thursday evening June 5, at 7½ o'clock. By order,

GEORGE A. DAVIS, Secretary.

PACIFIC No. 8.—The Regular Monthly Meeting will be held on Tuesday evening next, June 3 at 7½ o'clock. By order,

WM. SPECKELS, Secretary.

CRESCENT NO. 10.—The Regular Monthly meeting your Company will be held on Monday evening, next June 2, at 7½ o'clock. By order,

E. B. MACGROTTY, Sec'y.

COLUMBIAN No. 11.—The Regular Monthly Meeting of your Company will be held on Wednesday Evening next, June 4, at 7½ o'clock, By order.

W. H. BRENHAM, Secretary.

PENNSYLVANIA NO. 12.—The Regular Monthly Meeting of your Company will be held on Wednesday Evening next, June 4, at 7 o'clock. By order,

JAMES S. THOMSON, Secretary.

YOUNG AMERICA No. 13.—The Regular monthly meeting of your Company will be held on Friday evening next, June 6th, at 7½ o'clock.

my31 By order. M LYNCH, Sec'y.

TIGER NO. 14.—The Regular monthly meeting of this company will be held at the engine house on Monday evening next, June 2, at 7½ o'clock,

By order, J. SEWALL REED,
Secretary.

ST. FRANCIS H. & L. 1.—The Regular Monthly meeting of your Company will be held on Wednesday evening, next, June 4, at 7½ o'clock. By order,

JACOB EZEKIEL. Secretary.

LAFAYETTE H. & L. NO. 2.—The Regular Monthly Meeting of your Company will be held on Tuesday Evening next, June 3, at 7½ o'clock.

By order, MITCHEL, Secretary

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By order,
THO. D. GREENE, Secretary.

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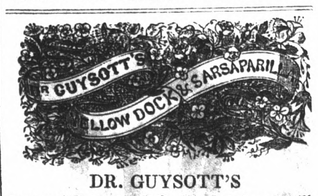

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Are now offered to the public at the very low rate of TWENTY-FIVE CENTS a box, or

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DOCTOR WILLIAM DEVINE being anxious that the citizens of California should derive the full benefit of his "inestimable remedy," came to this State for the sole purpose of establishing their manufacture and sale, and made arrangements with

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or that purpose, as will be seen by the following affidavit

County of San Francisco, ss.—William B Little, being duly sworn, deposes and says—That he is a Druggist, and doing business in the city of San Francisco, under the name and style of Little & Co.; that on the 30th day of December, 1854, for good and valuable consideration, Dr. Wm. Devine, who was then in the city of San Francisco, sold to him the recipe, and instructed him in the art of manufacturing the Lozenges known as Dr. Devine's Compound Pitch Lozenges, and that the articles he has sold as Dr. Devine's Compound Pitch Lozenges, are the genuine Compound Pitch Lozenges, prepared according to the recipe so sold and made known to him by said Dr. Wm Devine; and deponent further says that the said Dr. Wm. Devine authorised and appointed him sole agent of said Lozenges, in and for the State of California.

WM. B. LITTLE.

Sworn to before me, this 21st day of January, 1856.
GEO. T. KNOX, Notary Public.

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The Military Gazette
AND FIREMAN'S JOURNAL.

SAN FARNCISCO

SATURDAY MORNING, MAY 31, 1856.

The lease for the upper portion of the building known as the California Exchange was signed on Thursday, and it will be immediately altered and repaired for the use of the First Infantry Battalion. The locality selected for an armory could not be improved, and considerable discernment has been shown by Col. West in the arrangements he has made respecting it. So soon as the armory is put in order we hope to see the military ardor of our citizen soldiery revived, and the internal affairs of their several organizations working smoothly. The excitement of the times is but temporary, associations like their are, or should be permanent.

The Military.

No. VIII

It is a glorious privilege and boast of an American citizen that he belongs to the freest government on earth, and that his rights and immunities are set forth in a written charter.

It must be considered that we are not alone citizens of California, but of the Federal Union. The very strength and vigor of our constitution and form of government are obtained from their being copied from the Constitution of the United States.

A State may divest a citizeu of a right, and State legislation may seek to annul his privileges; but, the safety of the citizen, in his person and his property, is hedged round with higher security than these. The folds of the Federal flag fly over him, and under its protection he is safe.

The framers of the Constitution of the United States, with a jealous eye, saw through the frailty of human government, and knew that human passion might even sit in empire over freemen, and therefore, in view of continuing the rights inherited by their forefathers to them and their posterity, they introduced provisions in that instrument, securing to every citizen the right of speech and the press. The right of trial by jury, the right of giving to persons accused of crimes a speedy and impartial trial, with the privilege of having witnesses and counsel in their favor, and of being confronted by their accusers.

And it declared the dwelling of a citizen so sacred, that no man dare invade it, except upon the sworn affirmation of witnesses that there was cause for such a proceeding.

A State, then, is a pigmy in its authority over the citizen; for he can boast that when its power is stretched forth to deprive him of a right, he can call upon the giant arm of Federal authority for protection.

Nor can any State of this Union adopt any other form of government than that sanctioned by Federal authority.

And when a State sets aside a Republican form of government, opposed to the laws and Constitution of the United States, and thereby deprives one single citizen—no matter what his condimay be—of rights secured to him under that Constitution and those laws; or, when a State rises in arms, by its citizens, against the Constitution and laws of the United States, the persons charged are as much subject to punishment, as the individual who violates a municipal law of the State of which he is a citizen. It has been gravely asserted lately in this city, that a revolution has upturned the existing forms of government, and that not only has the Constitution and law of the United States been subverted a but that the same deed has occurred with the State law and Constitution.

It is true, that in the County of San Francisco, a body of men, consisting of twenty-nine citizens, have assumed Legislative, Judicial and Executive functions; and that they have called to their aid three thousand armed citizens, acting under military leaders, to carry out their mandates.

It is true, that they have set aside and subverted the Constitution and laws of the United States, and the Constitution and laws of the State of California.

It is true, that they have rescued out of the hands of the State authorities, persons charged with the commission of offences against the law—tried them without the forms of law—and executed them in defiance of the law.

And it is also true, that they have, without process of law, entered the habitations of citizens and subjected them to search; nay, more. It is said that in this county, three thousand bayonets maintain all these acts; and justify these invasions.

But, although all these things are, yet there is no revolution! There can be no revolution!—nor even the right of revolution!

What do these twenty-nine men wish? in th name of mercy! To set aside the Constitution of the State? No! they say that suits them Well, then, to set aside the law? Why, that suits them too. Well, what do they want? To punish criminals—to drive out ballot-box stuffers! Does it require, then, the Constitution of the United States, and the Constitution and law of this State to be set aside to punish a few rowdies; nay even a gang of rowdies?

Does it require martial law and three thousand bayonets to protect the citizen against the Constitution and the law, or a few rowdies?

Or, will the killing of a dozen citizens authorize such strange proceeding!

Is it to be argued that because a citizen is killed in the public streets, that life or property, or society is insecure under the Constitution, and that therefore the forms of our government have to be set aside, and a despotism substituted in its stead? or, "have we found angels in the shape of men to govern us?"

I pause for a reply! No! depend upon it, that no matter how intelligent the twenty-nine men may be who are entrusted with this power, it forms a dangerous precedent to establish.

No matter how anxious those men may be to better the condition of society, even supported by bayonets they are no better before the world than rioters. Every step they take involves them in fresh crimes. In resisting the law and authority by the force of arms, they are guilty of treason. In the execution of criminals, they are guilty of murder; and the punishment of both, by law, is death. Say the men they executed were worthy of death! who denies this? No one! Does this better the condition of things Who constituted them the judges? They say the people. Impossible! No body of citizens of a county in this State, could invest them with such authority, not even if every voice within it was raised in their favor.

What need then can there be to plead this excuse, might not this body of citizens, acting under the constitution and the law, (with the same anxious determination which they have assumed) have convicted these, and all other criminals under the law, and might not the punishment of the law be dealt out upon them with more useful example than in setting aside all authority.

The sentence and execution of death imposed by them upon a criminal is murder, while that of the law brings with it the ignominy of the offence of murder. So that herein society has not improved by the examples which they have made.

The security then of the Government of the state and its citizens depend upon the maintaining the authority of the state. Delegated by the people to exercise powers, they may remove officers for misconduct, but they cannot subvert authority.

The Governor of the state is as much bound by his oath to maintain the Constitution and laws of the United States, as he is to observe the Constitution and laws of this state, so also with the judges. But is it because we have a bad officer that therefore we must subvert the Constitution and the law? no one will be so unwise as to assert this. And to show how nicely adjusted is our government, has not each of its separate powers been balanced, that no evil can exist in society, without having its corrective at hand.

As the President of the United States is the executive officer of the United States, and as to him, power has been given to marshal the forces of the United States to maintain the law. So has the Governor of California, the same prerogative.

The President may call all the states to arms, against an encroachment upon the rights of one, or even to punish a state. So could the Governor of California call to his aid the body of Citizens of this State, to maintain the laws I shall presently show how this was done.

The citizens of a state not only owes allegiance to the state in which he resides, but he also owes allegiance to the United States. He is not only bound to support the Constitution of the United States, but of this state.

But to meet every exigency of government, Congress has authorized the organizing of a state mialiti, the United States has provided each state with arms for its defence, with the purpose as much to enforce respect, within a state, for its laws, as it would do outside the state in case of invasion. Consequently ever state has its military as well as its civil power.

The highest duty in the state then devolves upon the citizen soldier, in his hands is entrusted the security not only of the Constitution, but of the law, of the state and of the United States.

It is a proud duty this, when it is performed faithfully. He can well say in such a case, I have stood sentinel upon the watch tower of the Constitution, and that man who should dare to put his foot upon its threshold should die a victim of his temerity and rashness, as a warning to all who should follow in his footsteps.

JURISCONSULT.

BOARD OF OFFICERS.—The members of the Board of Officers of the 1st Infantry Battalion met on Thursday evening last, and for reasons best known to themselves have up to this time kept their proceedings *dark*. We understand, however, that Col. West refused to recognize Lieutenants Watson and Loring of the City Guard, and Lieutenant McElwee of the National Guard as members of the Board. Each company was required to report the names of those who refused to do duty on the late occasion, and heir name's a legion.

INDEPENDENT CITY GUARD.—The Independent City Guard, formerly the "City Guard," which company disbanded for the reason that their arms were taken by Major Sherman and Col. West, without the permission of the commanding officer, who had given bonds for the safe keeping of the same, met at their armory on Tuesday evening last and permanently organized by the election of the following officers.

CAPTAIN	JOHN A CLARK
1ST LIEUTENANT	GEORGE F. WATSON
2D LIEUTENANT	ASA L. LORING
BREVET 2D LIEUTENANT	PETER VAN PELT
ORDERLY SERGEANT	E. M. CROWELL
2D SERGEANT	WM. H WATSON
3D SERGEANT	H. VAN PELT
4TH SERGEANT	NATHANIEL M. FORD
1ST CORPORAL	H. H. THRALL
2D CORPORAL	LUKE WILDER
3D CORPORAL	JOHN AMES
4TH CORPORAL	CHARLES E. RAND
QUARTER MASTER SERGEANT	E. B CLEMENT
TREASURER	W. H. WATSON
SECRETARY	JOHN AMES

NATIONAL GUARD.—This splendidly equipped company turned out yesterday on the order of Col. West, to do guard duty at the county jail They numbered about thirty men, and were under command of Captain Robert Pollock.

SAN FRANCISCO BLUES.—This splendid military company commanded by Captain Farren, has has we regret to say, disbanded, the causes for the same having arisen out of the events of the past few days.

RESIGNED.—First Lieutenant J. V. McElwee of the National Guurd resigned his position on Monday night. The vacancy caused by his resignation has yet been filled.

The Chicago papers state that the Encampment to be called Camp Dearborn, in that city, under the auspices of the Light Guard, has progressed so favorably that no doubt remains in regard to its being carried out. About $15,000 is needed to defray the expenses of entertaining the military guests from other States, a large proportion of which sum has already been subscribed. All the military companies of the State are to be solicited to join the Encampment, while the companies of the different cities of the Union are to be invited, as the special guests of the occasion.

The first division Louisiana Militia paraded on the 12th April, at the laying of the corner-stone of the Clay Monument.

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Between Clay and Washington Streets,
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☞ All articles manufactured by me are warranted. ☜

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In this city, and CHARLES MORGAN & CO. in New York

The cash capital paid in is seven hundred thousand dollars. ($700,000.)

An amount will be kept in the Manhattan Bank, New York, at all times, to cover our bills in case of loss of any shipment of Tre

We are now pared to se l Sight Exchange on the Manhattan Bank or Charles Morgan & Co., New York; also on the Manhattan Bank, made payable viz: at the Southern Bank, New Orleans, La.; Messrs. Darby & Barksdale, Bankers, St. Louis, Mo.; Southern Bank of Kentucky, Louisville, Ky.; Ohio Life Insurance and Trust Co.: Cincinnatti, Ohio; Merchants and Manufacturers Bank Pittsburgh, Pa.; to purchase Gold Dust, Bars, Bullion, Mint and Bank Certificates, approved securities, make collections, and to transact all matters pertaining to our business, on the most liberal terms.

C. K. GARRISON,
CHARLES MORGAN,
By his Att'y, C. K Garrison.
R. S. FRETZ,
W. C. RALSTON.

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Having one entrance on Battery street, one door from Long Wharf, and one entrance on Long Wharf, one door from the corner of Battery street. The numbers will be
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From the great increase in their business facilities, and the amount of NEW GOODS just received, they feel confident they can attend to the wants of their old friends and customers, together with the wants of such new friends and customers as choose to honor them with their patronage, in a most satisfactory manner.
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ADAMS & CO,
HATTERS,
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Have Removed their
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NO. 175 CLAY STREET,
Late ARCADE GAMBLING SALOON.
THIS is the most elegant Hat establishment in the City, with a large and well selected stock HATS and CAPS, which will be sold at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES. We would respectfully call the attention of Gents to our Spring Style Hat, which we flatter ourselves is SUPERIOR in TASTE and ELEGANCE, to anything yet introduced in this city.
LADIES will find at this House the best assortment of Riding Hats, Whips and Gloves, also Children's Hats and Caps in great variety.
Any style of Hat or Cap made to order in the best style and shortest notice.
ADAMS & CO.,
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Important Fact,
And a matter of deep interest to the sick. Medicines to be good MUST BE FRESHLY PREPARED; and in choosing your apothecary, select one who does a good business.
IF YOU WANT A GOOD ARTICLE,
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Search the city, North, South, East or West,
WINN'S 'FOUNTAIN HEAD' Saloon's by far the best;
You not only find a sumptous 'bill of fare,'
But your eyes also will be feasted there—
Rich Turkey carpets, soft as downy swan,
Glowing like sunset clouds, your feet rests on;
Whilst costly draperies in gay festoons,
Give an air of elegance to Winn's Saloon
You look in vain for if you go elsewhere—
Besides, you take your cash in rosewood chair,
With crimson velvet cushions, or on sofas rare;
Italian marble tables, polished fine,
Invite the hungry to sit down and dine
Or sup—or in the morning break their fast;
But whether it is morn or night, a rich repast
Awaits the visitors, subject to their call; [them all
And whether five or five hundred, "Winn" can serve
Fine venison steaks, done up in Winn's best style,
That would from epicurian force a smile;
Oysters serv'd up in all ways you can name;
All kinds of fowls, the wild as well as tame,
Ducks, geese and partridges, fine fat snipe and teal;
Choice mutton chops, beef steak and tender veal
Fish of all kinds served up to suit the guest,
For each one knows which way fish suits him best;
Soups of all grades, from turtle down to pea,
But all as good as any soup can be;
Eggs, Ham and Cutlets—but it would be no boast
To say no Restaurant on the Pacific coast
Can with "Winn's Fountain Head" at all compare.
If you doubt it, call in and try his bill of fare.
Winn's Pastry can't be match'd, and his Creams
Are so superior that it almost seems
Impossible such could be made by human hands,
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Winn will have ready a thousand sugar toys.
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Let every man and woman who this may read,
Be sure to visit Winn at the "Fountain Head,"
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The choicest dishes ever named on Bill of Fare.
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Offer for sale at their new store, No. 97 Battery street, a choice selection of
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Lotos,	Fancy Cradles,
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Backgammon Boards,	Mantle Vases,
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Dolls, dressed and undressed, from half an inch to four feet in length; of Wax, China, Rubber, etc.
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Ladies and Gents will not forget the place, Stockton st. near Jackson.
de15 3m A. KOHLER.

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For the purpose of buying and selling
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Said firm pledges themselves not to purchase or sell on their own account, but to act in all cases for the best interests of those who may favor them with their patronage.
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E. P. PECKHAM,
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Chief Engineer, S. F. F. D

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SOUPS			
Oyster	12	Mutton Broth	12
FISH.			
Boiled Bass	12	Baked Salmon	12
BOILED.			
Mutton, Caper sauce	25	Corned Beef & cabbage	12
Ham	12	Pork	12
ROASTS.			
Beef	12	Turkey	50
Veal	12	Goose	25
Pork	12	Duck	25
Mutton	12		
ENTREES.			
Baked Pork & Beans	12	Stewed Tripe	12
Baked Beef steak pie	12	Beef Hash	12
Veal Pot Pie	12	Fish Balls	12
VEGETABLES.			
Potatoes Fried, Baked, Boiled and Mashed			12
Turnips mashed	12	Cabbage	12
Onions Fried	12		
PUDDINGS.			
Bread	12	Plum	12
Rice	12		
PIES.			
Mince	12	Cherry	12
Apple	12	Rhubarb	12
Peach	12	Pumpkin	12
Plum	12	Custard	12
Whortleberry	12	Cup Custard	12
Gooseberry	12	Tarts	12
CAKES.			
Plain Pound Cake	12	Boston Cream Cake	25
Jelly Cake	12	Macaroons	12
Cup Cake	12	Ladies' Fingers	12
Domestic Cake	12	Sponge Cake	12
Jumbles	12	Lady Cake	12
Sugar Cake	12	Citron Cake	12
Ginger Nuts	12	Currant Cake	12
Molasses Pound Cake	12	Ginger Snaps	12
Dough Nuts	12	Crullers	12
BREAD, ROLLS, ETC.			
Hot English muffins			25
Hot Waffles			25
Breakfast Rolls	12	Bread and Milk	12
French do	12	Mush and Milk	12
Tea Biscuit	12	Plate of Mush	12
Brown Bread,	12	Graham Bread	12
Wheat do	12	Soda Biscuit	12
Coffee, Tea or Chocolate			12
TO ORDER.			
Porter House Steak	50	Ham and Eggs	37
Tender Loin	37	Omelette	25
Beef steak plain	25	Eggs, boil'd or fried each	12
Pork do do	25	Oyster stew	50
Veal Cutlet	25	Oyster fritters	5
Mutton Chop	25	Buckwheat Cakes	1
Sausage fried	25	Brown Bread Toast	1
Liver sausage	12	Graham Toast	1
Ham broiled or fried	12	Dipped do	1
Tripe fried	25	Milk do	1
Mackerel boiled or broil'd	25	Dry do	1
Fried mush	12		

N. B.—Breakfast Rolls, Tea Biscuit, or White or Graham Bread will be given with a cup of tea or coffee, without extra charge.
Also, Potatoes and Bread with Steaks and Roast Meats' without extra charge. jan5-tf

REMOVAL.
WM. H. BOVEE & CO.
Have removed to their new building,
No. 123 Front Street, Corner of Oregon.

Costa Rica Coffee;	Old Gov. Java. 50lb mats;		Rio Coffee;
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Pepper;	Allspice;		Cinnamon;
Ginger;	California Mustard;		Cloves;
Mace, fresh ground, in jib glass;			

Also. Nutmegs, Cassia in mats, and all kinds of Spices in the grain.
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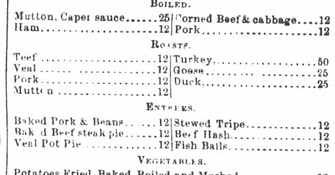

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Jan26 tf

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Our store will be closed after 12 o'clock on Saturday night, until Monday morning. K. & Co.
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Concentration of all the Market Business of San Francisco in one Large Central Market.
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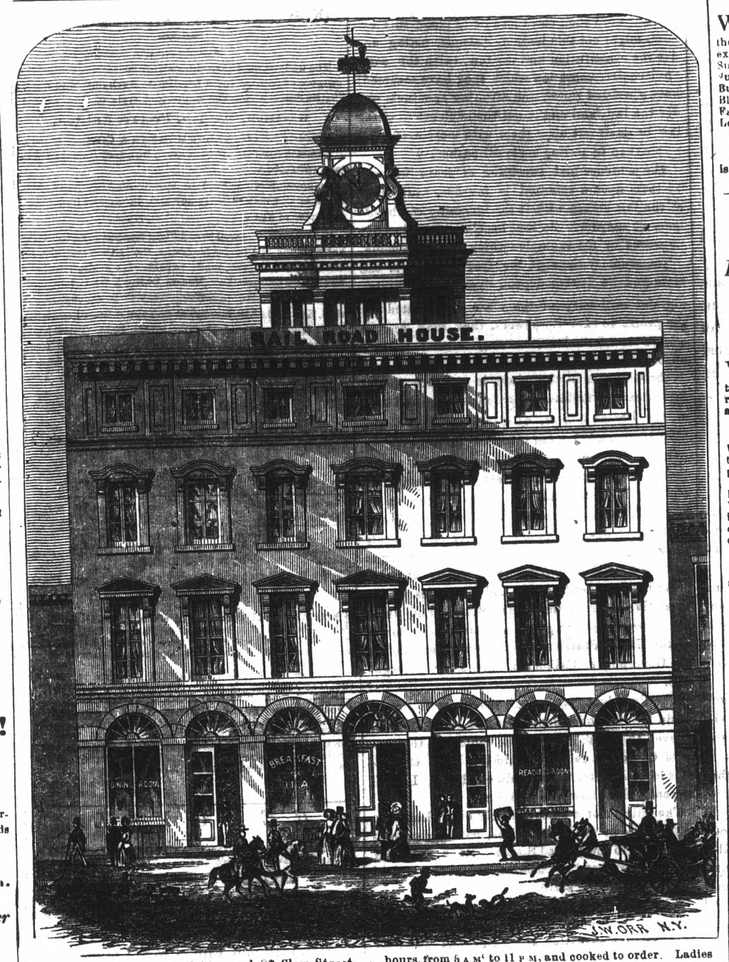

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SOUPS.

Chicken	12	Tomato	12
Mock Turtle	12	Julien	12
Pea Soup	12	Oyster	25
Vegetables	12	Boston Chowder	12
Bean	12	Clam	25

FISH.

Salmon boiled	12	Rock Cod Anchevy sauce	12
Bass, Anchovy sauce	12	Tom Cods fried	12
Salt Codfish boiled	12	Smelts fried	12
Salt Mackerel boiled	12	Salmon do smoked	12

BOILED

Mutton, mint sauce	12	Chicken, Oyster sauce	50
Lamb, " "	12	Mutton and turnips	12
Corn'd Beef & Cabbage	12	Rabbitt, parsley sauce	25
" Pork "	12	Cold Ham	12
Mutton caper sauce,	25	Crives Head, brain sauce,	12

ROASTS.

Beef	12	Turkey,	50
Veal	12	Chicken	50
Pork	13	Mutton stuffed a la jar.	
Duck	37	diniere	25
Teal	50	Lamb do do	25
Goose	37	Pig	12
Brant	37	Mutton	12
Venison, Cranberry sauce,			25
Beef, sirloin roast and jelly,			25
Vegetables of all kinds			12

ENTREES.

Broiled Chicken	75	Chicken Pie	37
do Quail	50	do Pot Pie	37
Chicken Fricassee	50	Beef Steak Pie,	12
Chick Curry & Rice	37	Veal Pot Pie,	12
Lamb and Peas,	25	Kidney Pie	25
Salmi Duck	24	Rabbit Pie	25
Game Pie	25	Bird Pie,	25
Oysters fried	50	Giblet Pie	25
Salmon baked	12	Game Pie,	25
Corn & Beans baked	12	Rabbit Fricassee,	25
Pigs Head stewed	12	Kidney stewed	25
Sm'thered Duck & onions	25	Beef Tongue & Tomato's	25

ENTREES.

Stewed Birds	25	Calves Head	12
Stewed Giblets	25	Calves Head Hash	12
Potted Pigeon	25	Calves Feet fricasseed	12
Pork and Beans	12	Pigs Head & spinage	12
Corn'd Beef & parsnips	12	Pigs Head and parsnips	12
Bacon & spinage	12	Brain Frittere	12
Lamb's Heart and Tomatoes	12	String Beans	12
		Sweet Potatoes	12
Beef stewed and onions	12		

PUDDINGS.

Bread	12	Indian	12
Rice	12	N Y Plum	12
Tapioca	12	Plum	12
Suet	12	Appple Dumplings	12
Railroad	12		

PIES.

Cranberry or Gooseberry	12	Green Apple,	12
Cherry or Quince	12	Green Rhubarb,	12
Peach or Plum	12	Mince	12
Fruit	12	Apple	12
California Peach,	12	Custard or Squash	12
Cup Custard,	12		

DESSERT.
Apple, Cranberry and other Sauces and Jellies 12
Cakes of all kinds, 12

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Steak, Porter House	50	Cutlets, Veal	25
Steak, Tenderloin,	37	Cutlets, Mutton,	25
Steak, Spanish style,	37	Chop, Mutton	25
Steak, Plain	25	Chop, Lamb	25
Steak, Pork	25	Liver and Pork, fried	12
Steak, Venison	25	Fish fried	12
Ham, broiled or fried	25	Tripe stewed,	12
Clams in batter	37	Beef stewed and onions	12
Tripe in batter	25	Veal stewed	12
Tripe broiled	25	Mutton stewed	12
Salmon broiled	25	Pork Sausages	25
Ham and Eggs	37	Fish Balls	12
Eggs poached	25	Beef Hash	12
Omelette	25	Pigs Feet soused	25
Eggs, fresh, each,	12	Pigs Feet in batter,	25
Mackerel boiled or broil'd	25	Toasts of all kinds	12
Oyster Fritters,	37	Apple Fritters	12
Hot Corn Bread,	12	Hot coon batter cakes	12
Hot Tea Biscuit	12	Hot flannel cakes	12
Hot Waffles	25	Hot buckwheat cakes	12
Breakfast Rolls	12	German Rolls,	12
Rice Cakes	12	French Rolls	12
Boston Cream Toast,			12

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